RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3600

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title:	A METHOD, SYSTEM, AND COMPUTER)		
	READABLE MEDIUM FOR)		
FACILITATING A TRANSACTION)			
		EEN A CUSTOMER, A)		
MERCHANT AND AN ASSOCIATE)	Customer No.	<u>.: 28554</u>	
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This RESPONSE is in reply to the outstanding Office Action.

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